


Beech Class Weekly Update Friday 29th September 2023

In math's, Year 1 children have continued to deepen their understanding of one more and one less. They used minibeast counters to make up number stories like the frog one below. Everyone spoke in full sentences and explained how they got their answers.

First there were 2 frogs in a pond.
Then 1 more frog hopped in the pond.
How many frogs are in the pond now?





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

1 more than 2 is 3



They have shown their understanding by representing numbers on 10 frames and number tracks. They have also been developing their reasoning and problem-solving skills. Here are some 'true or false' statements for you to try at home:

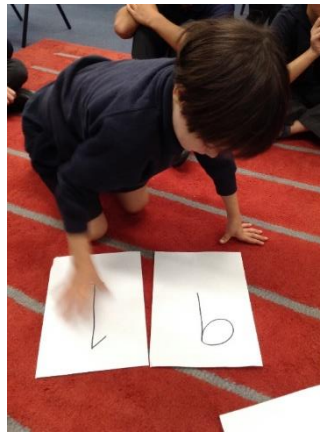
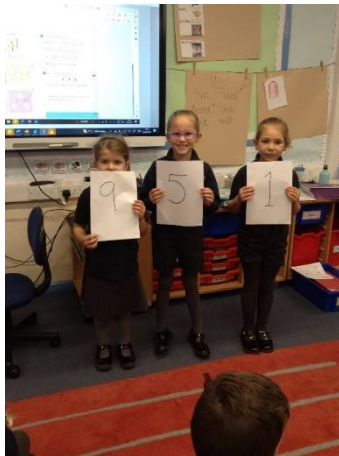
True or False ? 1 more

One more than  is 

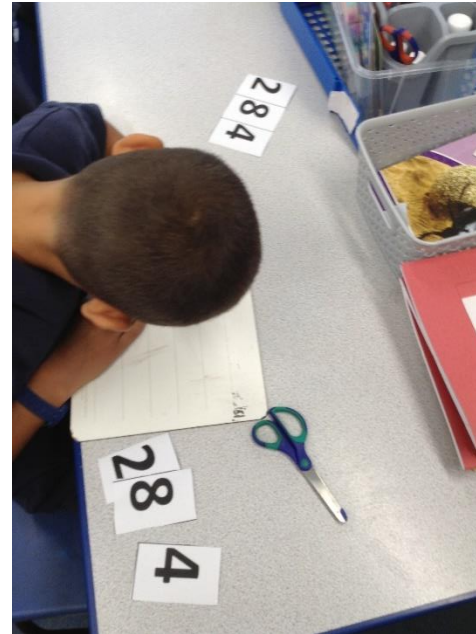
One more than  is 

One more than 7 is 8

Year 2 children have been partitioning numbers to 100 (in tens and ones and flexibly) and representing their work on part whole models. Here are some snippets from the week. The first set of photos showed how we used the digit cards to make 2 digit numbers as many ways as we could.



Then they had a go with some different numbers on their own! See below. After this, they partitioned the numbers into tens and ones. We then used base 10 equipment to explore different ways to partition numbers to 100.



In our geography session, we explored the difference between a village, a town, and a city. The children all knew the names of the villages and towns they live in and were excited to share some of the cities they have been to. This could be something you ask them about at home!



Every morning we carry out our morning routine. Today everyone joined in writing the date.



Of course, this is just a couple of snippets of the week. I am super proud of the children in Beech Class. They are absolutely incredible.

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